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Storage of stock copies of TS CIA documents.

1. The following proposals for storage and issue of stock of Top Secret documents, upon move of Administrative Records from 1141 Q Building, are presented.

A. Archives allow space for storage. Central TS withdraw copies as required.

Advantages: One point of control of documents. One office of record. (Central TS Control is designated as office of record for TS material per Security [redacted])

Disadvantage: Location.

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B. Archives store and pull copies for CTS as requested. CTS maintain all records.

Advantage: Delivery of documents by courier to CTS from Archives. Removal of necessity of CTS personnel going after them.

Disadvantage: Divided control of documents.

C. Transfer documents to Archives to authorize certain persons therein to issue documents and maintain record of such issues.

Advantage: Some slight saving of time.

Disadvantage: Necessity to notify CTS of such issues, so that it may have a complete record of all TS documents.

2. Based on small number of Top Secret documents which have been issued from stock in the past, it is recommended that Plan A be adopted if Administrative Records is not too far removed from M Building.

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Concurrence [redacted]

Record [redacted]

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